Martinan and Southern

Miss Mary Hardin has returned to Albert Turnage Convicted of Murderthe city from Terry, where she has soon for a visit.

The friends of Mr. L. E. Wood are plad to see him out again after an illfrom typhold.

Mrs. Jone Straum has returned from a three months' visit in the

he coat suit department of A. Fried-Bre, was called home to Suraof her father, R. L. Bethes .--Mill Member

Mr. R. M. Doar of Georgetown at Wednesday in the city.

the parents, Mr. and Mrs. P.

IN IN CHARGE OF FAIR

met wh'th "bot sir" surrend- board.

sente about exhibits.

H. L. Tindale, of the Sumter Durec Jersey Farm, agreed to take se of the live stock exhibit department and arangements thereof. Mr. J. Frank Williams, local farm strator, will have charge of the farm and boys' pis and cara club ex-

intendent of education will cooperate jurors that they were still jurors until with Misses Mary Lemmon and Ka- their successors were sworn into oftie Pitts, home demonstration agents fice, and, as such, should do their in charge of the rural school and lady's duty at all times until relieved: J. A.

tery, and E. I. Reardon will have C. W. Hicks. charge of the "loose ends," hot air. and other general utility features, and will make themselves generally useful making tight wads "loosen up,"

ed later to various departments. There will be plenty of work for any and all who desire to holp out in making this county fair and "Made in the cometery immediately after the nter County" demonstration a huge success. Volunteers are wanted and will be gladly mustered in without civil service examinations.

November 23, 24 and 25 are the dates agreed upon by the committee yesterday. It is up to Suriter city and Sumter county people to take pride in this our Arst county far. Help out liberally in every way that you can.

COTTON PICKING RAPIDLY.

aning is Far Advanced-Weather the result being six to nothing. too Coof for Late Cotton and Succom of Truck.

Columbia, Oct. 12,-Cotton has con- year boys were unable ginning are far advanced; shipments becoming congested to some extent. Excepting the past few days, the weather has been too cool for the late crop. Truck, gardens, pastures and late forage peas were much improved by rains on the coastal plain, but the weather has continued too dry over the Piedmont sections, where soil preparation has been retarded and turnip stands have been unsatisfactory, Considerable hay and fodder remain to be harvested.

FAILS TO APPEAR IN COURT IN CASE OF A BAULT AND BAT-TERY WITH INTENT TO MILL TO A STATE OF THE PARTY OF

Court Will Adjourn This Afternoon Until Monday—Grand Jury Finishon its Business, Makes its Presentment and is Dismissed, After Hold-

over are Prates.

From The Daily Item, Oct. 12. white woman who was being tried for vices. semult and battery with intent to kill. day afternon by the critical her own daughter, Lottle Bradham, a young girl of about sixteen years of age, being the person upon the as- F. A. McLeod Back From Trip to soult was alleged to have been made, failed to appear in the court house in see Mrs. M. C. Crowsen of while her case was on trial. The case High Point M. C., and Mrs. Paul D. was commenced late Wednesday af-Columbia & C. are visiting ternoon, when the jury was drawn. terest was that a subscription fund known here performed the ceremony has for many years been urged by the had been raised to secured services and Mr. Frank McLeod was best man Sumter County Board of Education, M. Muckey and little of an attorney to prosecute this case for his brother. There were quite a and a number of schools have been case has already been given in The honor. Item, as that adduced today was prac- | Mrs. Carlisle McLeod is a native of hearing when Mrs. Singletary was placed under a peace bond.

a jury yesterday on the charge of County, and has been engaged in the more of the schools and thus do beteres did not ma- a few minutes and it is understood where the young couple will make the car in repair and pay for the upthey afternoon so only a that the jury on its first beliet was their home. of the markers of the unanimously agreed upon this verdict. led, these being A motion was made on the minutes of of the 1916 County Fair the court for a new trial by Mr. Geo. court, absence D. Shore, Jr., the attorney for the destituted a combina- sentenced until after this motion is

de fair and arranged as Judge Prince intends to go to Co- Club was perfected by the election of be lumble tonight to attend an en banc officers for the ensuing season and Organization Committee Appointed by

its presentment, in which there were Hood; treasurer, Jno. B. Duffie; execu- Sumter Chamber of Commerce as a pointed and kindly con- a number of matters of considerable tive committee, Ervin D. Shaw, J. committee on organization of the to me the regular manufactur- general interest concerning various Herman Myers and Irving A. Rytten- farm loan association in accordance phases of civic life in the county.

The following indictments were returned by the grand jury: Newton B. Cockerell, assault, true

Roland James, housebreaking and Easter. larceny, true bill.

drawn to serve for next year, although Dr. J. El Hayneworth, e munty super- Judge Prince warned all of the grand demonstration club exhibits. - Middleton, Jr., J. F. Jenkins, W. Les-B. S. L. Krasnoff, of The Bat- lie Brunson, J. A. Lewis, D. M. Dick,

Death of an Infant.

From The Daily Item, Oct. 12.

The two-year-old son of Ernest and Mary Harrell died at their home in Columbia last night and will be brought to Sumter at 9:30 o'clock tomorrow morning for burial. The funeral services will be conducted at arrival of the train.

High Schol Football.

A very interesting game of football was played yes:erday afternoon on the high school grounds between the first and second year high school grades. This is the second time that these two mighty cohorts have met on the gridiron; the first game ended in a tie, each team making one touchdown, and the second game resulted in a victory for the first year boys,

In yesterday's game the first year boys made a touch-down in the first five minutes of play, and the second tinued to open rapidly and picking and this lead in the next three quarters. The longest run of the afternoon was have been heavy, and warehouses are made by John Haynsworth of the first year squad, and Dennison and Dick both played jam-up ball for the attorney. second year men.

The line-up was as follows: First Year Team-DuPre Rhame, center; Hubert Osteen, r. guard; Blanding Nettles, l. guard; William Truesdale, r. tackle; Bartow Lebby, l. tackle; Austin Beck, r. end; James Boney, I. end; John Haynsworth, I. h. b.; James Blanding, r. h. b.; Nor-

man Jennings, q. b.; Julius Pitts, f. b. Second Year Team-Eugene Lewis, tery with intent to kill, true bill. enter: Alex Tisdale, r. guard: Am A license to marry was issued yes- brose Beetham, I. guard; Johnnie terday to Bazzell Geddings of Pine- Sandel, r. tackle; Harold Witherwood and Miss Clara Turner of Tin- spoon, I. tackle; Darney Kervin, r. dal. Licenses to negroes were David end; Colclough Dick, L. end; Wiley for trial. Cosby and Marie Wright, Wedgefield; Sholar, l. h. b; Lloyd Cothran, r. h. Joseph Atkine, Rembert, and Francis b.; Henry Edmunds, q. b.; Leslie Denbicycle, sentenced to one year.

MEMORIAL SERVICES

McLeod-Wesleyan Bible Hold Exercises in Honor of Late Member.

On Sunday morning at 10:15 o'clock the McLeod-Wesleyan Bible Class of County School Trustees' Association, Trinity Methodist church will hold Prot Lucco Gunter, school supervisor memorial exercises in honor of the of elementary schools in South Caromemory of their late member, William lina, made an intersting talk to the Belton Boyle, who was one of the trustees and teachers on changes in most regular attendants at the class the school system of the county which,

Messrs. S. H. Edmunds, R. O. Purdy the remaking of the school district The feature of sessions court today and W. J. McKay. Everybody is corwas the fact that Sadie Singletary, a dially invited to attend these ser-

RETURNS FROM ALABAMA.

Florala, Where His Brother Carlisie Was Married.

Messrs. Frank A. McLeod of this

tically the same as that given at the Alabama, but attended college at Con- C. L. Cuttino and S. W. Raffield askverse. Her attendants were college ing that the county provide the Sumates and represented five States. Mr. perintendent of Education with a Ford and Told to less to Work. Albert Turnage was found guilty by McLeod is a native of Lynchburg, Lee automobile in order that he can visit

HOLIDAY EVE CLUB RE-ORGAN-

Four Dances During Season.

At a meeting on Monday afternoon Hence no most. This commit- Court will adjourn this afternoon, a reorganization of the Holiday Eve tion of the supreme court there the formulation of plans to give four the President Belsee.

plated all of its work and hanged in Bean F. Scott; secretary, James C. in berg. It was decided to raise the with the resolution at the mass meetmembership dues from \$10 to \$12.50. ing held in the county court room yes-Four dances at the usual times were decided on for the season, Thanksgiv-

A floor or reception committee will The following grand jurors were be appointed by the executive committee. The Holiday Eve Club dances have always been sources of great lows: J. K. McElveen, A. W. Newman, pleasure to many and this year will M. A. Newman, F. A. Newman, S. D. be no exception.

DOUGLAS JACKSON CAPTURED.

Placed in County Jaft.

From he Daily Item, Oct. 10. Last night about midnight Douglas Jackson, who is accused of the murder of his wife, Elizabeth Jackson, on Sunday afternoon, was placed in the Sumter county jail to await trial. The arrest of Jackson, who made his escape immediately after the killing, was made at Gable about 8 o'clock last night, he having been recognized in the camp, where he had sought employment yesterday. , Jackson was brought back to Sumter by Deputy Sheriff Forbes and Constable H. A. Boykin, who were out looking for Jackson at the time that they were informed of his arrest.

ANDERSON CASE IN COURT.

From he Daily Item, Oct. 10. Sessions court this morning was occupied in hearing the case of Henry Anderson, accused of the murder of his mether-in-law, Lila Brown. The case was commenced yesterday afternoon and went to the jury this afternoon. Mr. Geo. D. Levy is assisting the solicitor in the prosecution of the case and W. M. Levi, Esq., is conducting the case for the defense, he having been appointed by the court to represent Anderson, who had no

The following bills were returned by the grand jury:

John Robinson, larceny of bicycle, true bill. R. B. McLeod, carnal knowledge of

a woman child, assault with intent to ravish, true bill. Sadie Singletary and C. E. Jones, One P le of Cotton Nets \$170.70. adultery, true bill.

Sadie Singletary, assault and bat-

larceny, true bill. and larceny, returned to magistrate \$170.79; the expense bill was \$4.85,

COMPTY TRUSPEES MEET.

Class to Prof. Lacco Gunter Advises Association on Needed Changes in School

At the recent meeting of the Sumter would prove beneficial to the schools. Short addresses will be made by He urged consolidation of schools and lines in order that there might be only one white school in each district to which the trustees could devote their time and attention. By this system Prof. Gunter pointed out that State aid could be secured and other advantages obtained. He stated that Sumter county now was devoting more money per capita to its pupils than any other county in the State.

The Sumter County Board of Ed-City and the Hon. T. G. McLeod of ucation has several times in the past their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. The witnesses were not put on the Bishopville returned yesterday from considered the matter of changing on Calhoun street. Mr. M. stand until this morning. The taking Florala, Ala., where they with anoth- the school district lines, but on acen is cashier of the Home of evidence was completed shortly or brother, the Rev. D. M. McLeod of count of the situation, as regards railat High Point and an active before noon, when arguments were Charleston, had been in attendance on roads in the various districts, it was men of that the tving manu- made and the case was left with the the marriage of their brother, David decided not to make any changes, as jury this afternoon, after Judge Prince Carlisle McLeod and Miss Katie Lee some districts would have railroads H. Moise, Miss Cecile had made his charge. The case Wynne, which occurred at 6 o'clock and others would not, thus depriving e and Miss Theo Love have re- elicited much interest and a his crowd on Thursday, October 5th, in the some of the districts of the income them as extended stay in At- was in the court room today, as the presence of a large number of the from the railroad taxes, while other evidence was being taken. A fact friends of the contracting parties. The districts would have a double or triple Actury, of Clarisville, Gg., is connected with the case of unusual in- Rev. D. M. McLeod, who is well share. The matter of consolidation inte, have some to and others against Mrs. Singletary and number of attendants and a number consolidated, but this work has not D. C. for an extended C. E. Jones. The evidence in the of social affairs were given in their proceeded as far as the board would like to see it go.

A resolution was offered by Messrs. edas of the Sumter saurder. The jury remained out only turpentine business at Halsell, Ala., ter work, the superintendent to keep

Resolutions of respect and sympathp were passed on behalf of J. W Brunson and S. B. Jenkins, two trustees and members of the association. ant weather, and fendant, and the prisoner will not be New Officers are Elected-To Give who had passed away since the last

FARM LOAN ASSOCIATION.

E. W. Dabbs, H. C. Bethea, W. O. ing, New Years, Valentine's, and Cain, Sp., H. D. Tindal, H. L. Scarporough, S. D. Richardson, W. R.

The other members of the association who joined yesterday are as fol-Cain, L. F. Kirvin, E. W. Dabbs, Jr. James McBride Dabbs, H. Drane Tindal, W. G. Pierson, R. B. Belser.

Any other farmers desiring to join Arrested at Gable Last Night and should immediately notify the secretary, E. I. Reardon, at Sumter Chamber of Commerce.

It is proposed to try to get up a cotton selling or holding association. and have the farmers store their cotton in cotton warehouses, and borrow from local banks on the certificates. This is being done now to a considerable extent, but not as much as the advocates of holding cotton think ought to be done. The Sumter banks are backing the farmers with money in every way that they possibly can.

In The Police Court.

W. D. Gass, Jr., disorderly conduct, cursing, \$25 or 30 days. Maggie Burgess, petit larceny, \$5

bond forfeited. Sam Scarborough, public drunkenness, \$5 or 10 days.

E. Murphy, boarding trains unlawfully, permitted to leave town. Matthew Hampton, disorderly conduct, cursing, \$15 bond forfeited.

Ella Jackson, carrying concealed weapon, (razor) \$5 or 10 days. John Colclough, disorderly conduct,

loafing at freight depot at 3 a. m.,

\$10 or 20 days. E. Geddings, boarding train unlawfully, permitted to leave town.

Theadore June, boarding train unlawfully, permitted to leave town. Lee Allen, riding motorcycle at night without a light, \$2 or 4 days. William Ferguson, exceeding speed limit in auto 767, \$5 or 10 days,

WELL WORTH RAISING.

Olar, Oct. 11 .- L. W. Ritter holds

the blue ribbon for the most valuable in many a long year. It was a bale T. L. Scarborough, housebreaking of Brabham long staple, and netted making the gross value \$175.63. Two John Robinson, arraigned and years ago it would have taken seven plead guilty on charge of larceny of full short staple bales to fetch this amount

MAY INVESTIGATE NEGRO MI- view the movement with distavor and GRATION.

Attention of Department of Labor Directed to Movement to the Northern States.

Washington, Oct. 11 .- Unprecedented migration of negro laborers from the South toward the North, where the war has resulted in a scarcity of European immigrant labor, has attracted the attention of the department of labor.

Northern labor organizations who more than a score.

from employers in the South who regard it with some apprehension.

Material is being preserved which may be used later should the movement call for investigation.

BLOODSHED IN BAYONNE.

Fireman Shot in Riot Today Making Total of Twenty.

Bayonne, Oct. 12 .- A fireman was shot today in another outburst of rioting. This brings the total number Reports are being received from wounded in twenty-four hours to

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H. L. MICCOY. Acting Cash'r.

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